## COUNTY OF SUFFOLK DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE



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## Rocky Point mom arrested for DWI with teen scheduled for arraignment

A Long Island mother arrested in April for driving while intoxicated with a teenager in the car is scheduled for arraignment tomorrow on an indictment, Suffolk County District Attorney Thomas Spota said.

47-year-old Colleen Lopez of Rocky Point was driving a Chevy Tahoe on Patchogue-Yaphank Road when she was stopped by a member of the Suffolk County Police DWI enforcement unit for failure to maintain her lane.

Lopez, who was driving with a 13-year-old female passenger, was charged with driving while intoxicated under Leandra's Law and endangering the welfare of a child.

Suffolk County Judge Stephen Braslow in Riverhead will unseal the indictment.



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Defendants are entitled to a fair trial with the burden on the government to prove guilt beyond a reasonable doubt.